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DOLLAR A YEAR.

## TROUBLE FOR ELBERT HUBBARD.

His Wife Tired of Roycrofting Leaves Home—Hubbard Takes Her Departure Philosophically.

Mrs. Elbert Hubbard, wife of Fra Elbertus Hubbard, the noted Roycrofter, has left her husband and temporarily is making her home in with Hubbard's wealthy sister, Mrs. John D. Larkin, of North street, wife of the millionaire soap manufacturer. Mrs. Hubbard has been in Buffalo for several days. She went back to East Aurora today for a short stay, but relatives say she will leave there next week never to return.

It is understood that Lawyer Norris Morey, of this city, has been retained to institute proceedings for Mrs. Hubbard against Fra Elbertus, but he refuses to talk on the matter.

The Hubbards have not lived together for more than a year. He has had apartments in his Roycroft work shop. Mrs. Hubbard and their three boys, Elbert Jr., twenty-one years old; Ralph, nineteen, and Sanford, nearly eighteen, having been living in the beautiful family home on Grove street, East Aurora.

When seen in his workshop today Fra Elbertus said:

"My wife, Bertha, is not a Philistine, she is too fond of admiration. But she is nevertheless a thoroughly honest and conscientious woman. Our differences are purely a matter of temperament. She is fond of society, dress, dancing and all other harmless amusements, such as interest most people. She is not in sympathy with our work here and has always protested against such features as having ex-convicts and giving work to unfortunate women. She likes the society of clever people, and of course is fond of admiration."

"The policy of the Roycroft shop is cheap plainness, simplicity and work, and the semi-communal life has always been a source of embarrassment to her. Her heart was not in it, and of course she cannot be blamed for her likes and dislikes. She leaves East Aurora of her own accord and I wish her well wherever she goes. I will always see that she has all the money she needs for a good support."

Before her marriage Mrs. Hubbard

was Bertha C. Crawford, of Bloomington, Ill. She is still a young woman, beautiful and accomplished. Hubbard met her while lecturing in the Illinois town.

"It's none of the public's business whether or not I am going to leave East Aurora," said Mrs. Hubbard today. "I refuse to say whether or not suit for divorce will be entered."

The couple are still on speaking terms. Dr. Silas Hubbard, eighty-one years old, and his wife, Julia, seventy-four, the parents of Fra Elbertus, are with him in East Aurora. The old folks stand by their son Fra Elbertus, who calls himself a graduate of the "University of Hard Knocks," says he has made several hundred thousand dollars in the last seven years.—Buffalo Express.

A. J. Snell wanted to attend a party, but was afraid to do so on account of pains in his stomach, which he feared would grow worse. He says, "I was telling my troubles to a lady friend, who said: 'Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy will put you in condition for the party.' I bought a bottle and take pleasure in stating that two does cured me and enabled me to have a good time at the party." Mr. Snell is a resident of Summer Hill, N. Y. Chamberlain's is for sale by Anti-Monopoly Drug Store.

## The Woman of the Past and the Woman of the Present.

Some time before her death Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton wrote an article comparing the past and the present, and among other things said:

"The woman of today are better educated, and hence superior in very many ways as wives, mothers, housekeepers and members of the community of a century ago, and they are treated with far more respect by the men of the household than formerly."

"Women's influence in all directions steadily increases with their higher development. Naturally they are far more contented and happy with all the privileges they now enjoy than they were under the old restraints. I know nothing that could be borrowed from the past which would improve their present condition."

## DOINGS AT MARTEL.

Fine Church Record—An Ex-Editor as a Farmer.

To the Editor of the Ocala Banner:

Hogkilling has been the order of the day among our people during the past month, which will continue until the first of February. An unusual quantity of hams and shoulders have been placed in cold storage at Ocala.

Johnson & Clark have bought our cross the prince, J. J. Tills, look, stock and barrel. Mr. Tills will seek new pastures green, and the best wishes of our people will follow him in his now undaunted venture.

H. W. Long, after having abandoned home interests for the past three months, is now giving some attention to home affairs, by having new sill-placed under his smoke house and barn, receding the same, and erecting as an addition to his dwelling a commodious bed room. He will enclose one hundred acres for a stock farm, and seed it with Bermuda and Johnson grass as rapidly as possible.

The fourth quarterly conference for Marion County circuit was held at St. Johns church, Dec. 13, 1902. Rev. Ira S. Patterson, P. E., in the chair, Rev. H. Duff, of Ocala, being present as a visitor. The various official reports showed unprecedented advance on many lines. Rev. B. T. Rape, preacher in charge, reported all assessments made by the Florida Annual Conference upon the circuit, collected in full, which is the first time such a report has been made in the history of the circuit, and is due to the untiring systematic work of the preacher. The stewards are determined to do as well for the support of the ministry. Mr. Rape is making commendable progress in erecting new church edifices at Dunnellon and Marcell, which when completed, will be valuable acquisitions to those towns. Mr. Patterson, P. E., presides at a friendly conference with dignity, affability and efficiency.

The members of Friendship lodge No. 53, F. & A. M., will meet on the grounds of the lodge at St. Johns church with their families Dec. 27, to a meal and after feasting upon oysters furnished by that prince of business men, Hays C. Bell, as a committee of one, the lodge will convene, elect officers for the ensuing Masonic year, and install the same. A full attendance is anticipated.

C. A. Miller was the last of our sugar makers to wind up making syrup, and has put up usually in sugar barrels, cans, and bottles 800 and 100 of good syrup as can be found in any drug store.

Bryan Makes an Observation.

The Buffalo (N. Y.) Courier, a representative of the re-organizers, says: "Let the man who ask for Mr. Hill's retirement go to him with clean hands. Betrayal of the party is not the way to leadership. If Mr. Hill is to be retired let the democratic party—not the men of Albany and Rochester and Clinton counties who neglected Governor Odell—retire him."

The Courier has been conspicuous among the newspapers that have insisted that the democrats who remained true to the party in 1896 retire in favor of those who deserted the party in that year.

How does it happen that the Courier, dealing with the New York situation, insists that those who demand Mr. Hill's retirement must "go to him with clean hands," and that "betrayal of the party is not the way to leadership," while with respect to the national organization the Courier insists that men who betrayed the party in 1896, men whose silence in some instances and open and avowed alliance with the Republicans in other instances, contributed to democratic defeat, shall be rewarded for their perfidy.—The Commonwealth.

Now that the sickly season is approaching, get a 25c bottle of Arkansas Chill and Fever Tonic and ward off a spell of fever sold and guaranteed by Tydings & Co.

# The Boston Store

We bought more goods this year than at any time previous, and of course all must be sold before Christmas. Here is a list of what we have to sell.

## Men's Shoes

Our line of Men's Shoes is complete. We have twelve different styles, all of which are guaranteed to be solid leather in and out, at ..... \$1.49. Our Men's Shoes in Box Calf, Velour Calf and Vici Kid, equals any \$3.00 shoes you have ever bought, in this sale at ..... \$2.50. We have a line of Vici Kid in all of the latest shapes, which are guaranteed not to break through, at ..... \$3 to \$3.50.

## Ladies' Shoes

We can suit any lady in Ocala who wishes a medium price shoe, our prices range all the way from ..... \$1.25 to \$2.50.

## School Shoes

Our line of Boys' and Girls' Shoes have never been so complete before. We can fit any of them, and guarantee every pair to give satisfaction, or refund the money paid by you. In all styles, lace and button, ranging in price from ..... 50c. to \$2.50. We have always had the name of selling the best shoes for the money.

## Gents' Furnishings.

Of course you know what that means, well we have all that you know, and at prices that take. We have a fine line of Men's Heavy Underwear, Top shirts and Ties at ..... 49c. Our 49-cent line of men's wear has always made our competitors feel uneasy.

## Men's Clothing

Our counters and tables have on them the best popular priced clothing for Men and Youths that we could buy in northern markets. You will have to see them to know what these prices mean.

Men's Suits at ..... \$5 to \$14  
Men's Pants at ..... 75c to \$1.50

## Boys' Clothing

We have never had such a line as we have now. We can fit your boy in the finest suit, in either square cut, Norfolk or round cut, two or three pieces, but you must see them to appreciate the value. Prices in print are ..... \$1.00 to \$5.00.

## Overcoats

Don't fail to buy your boy an Overcoat for the cold weather is sure to come. We have the largest line in Ocala to pick from. Prices ..... \$2.00 to \$5.00. Men's Overcoats, large variety, bargains at ..... \$5.00 to \$8.00.

## Men's Hats

We handle the popular brand. You will find the best hat in Florida in our store at ..... \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00.

# LADIES' CLOTHING.

We have always led in Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Garments, and this season lead further ahead than ever before. Read the following:

## Ladies' Skirts

We have them in the latest styles and in all kinds of materials, such as, Melbourn, Velvet, Cloth, Broadcloths, Brilliantines, Silk and satin, and a number of others. Our prices are as low as can be, quality considered, from ..... \$1.25 to \$18.00.

## Ladies' Jackets

We have just received twenty-five jackets, all cut in the latest styles and colors, satin lined, at ..... \$6.50 to \$12.50 worth double.

Our line of Jackets at \$1.50 to \$4.00 cannot be excelled.

We have also a good line of Girls' Jackets and Reefers at \$1.50 to \$4.00.

## Underwear.

We have just received a large quantity of nursing and regular Skirts, Gowns, Chemises and Drawers, which will make any lady's wardrobe look good, without them. At face prices, from ..... 25c to \$2.50.

Our line of Ladies' Ribbed Underwear is not to be left out as we have them in Vests, Skirts and Drawers, and in all colors and sizes, ..... 25c. to 75c.

We have a few Ladies' Fleece Lined Vests at ..... 49c.

Boys' and Misses' Underwear is not to be left behind, as we are up-to-date in that as in any thing else. We have them in Ribbed and Fleece Lined Vests and Drawers at ..... 15c to 35c.

## Ladies' Waists

Our line of Waists is made of the following materials—silk, satins, tulle, flannels, and others. We have them in all of the latest colors and sizes. Prices ..... 50c. to \$5.00.

## Wrappers.

In Ladies' Wrappers and Kimonos we have always been able to suit the public, but this year we have an extraordinary fine line at ..... 50c. to \$2.50.

## Hats.

Ladies' and Children's Hats, our buyers thought of this while away, which makes us proud of same. We have them in the latest New York and Parisian shapes at all prices, from ..... 35c. to \$5.00.

# LADIES' DRESS GOODS.

Last, but not least, we will say that this has always been our most favorite line. We couldn't half begin to name the goods and prices that comprise this department. Our leaders are Silks, Satins, Broadcloths, French Flannels, Serges, Flannels, Brilliantines, Cashmeres, Alabastros and Worsteds of all descriptions. In Cotton Dress Goods we are complete. All that we have are the latest shades and at popular prices. We want you to come and examine these goods.

TO THE TRAPE.—We have said enough, and now all we ask is that you come to our store, examine our goods, and compare our prices with what you have been paying, and if you see a saving of 15 to 35 per cent on your purchases buy of us, if you don't see that saving DO NOT BUY. This is all we ask. Remember that we want to and will sell a lot of goods between now and Christmas.

# THE BOSTON STORE.

## CANDIES FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

THE wonderful popularity of our Candy Department leads us to believe that the Christmas season will tax our candy resources to the utmost. We have doubled and trebled our orders, but fully believe that we will fall short of supplying the demand. To be sure of just what you want for Christmas it would be advisable to place your orders now so that we may reserve them for you.

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HARTWELL M. AYER, (Manager Daily Times and Weekly Times-Messenger.)